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Basis for the requested change to Section (75) entitled "Inventors" can be found in the Request for Corrected Filing Receipt mailed September 25, 2000.

Basis for the requested change to Claim 1, column 27, lines 3 and 6, can be found in the original specification express mailed July 28, 2000.

Basis for the requested change to Claim 2, column 28, line 9, can be found in the original specification express mailed July 28, 2000.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Under Section (75) entitled, "Inventors," please replace, "Jeffrey Mamoro" with -- Jeffrey Marmaro---

Claim 1, column 27, lines 3 and 6, please replace "confirmation" with --conformation--.

Claim 2, column 28, line 9, please replace "polynucleofie" with --polynucleotide---

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